





Good morning!

Do you know a volunteer under the age of 40 who has directly impacted a nonprofit organization? Have they shown commitment by serving others in Dallas County? Do they use their innovative leadership skills to go above and beyond, time and time again?

If you know such a person, consider nominating them for The Dallas Foundation's 2013 "Good Works Under 40" Awards!

Co-sponsored by *The Dallas Morning News*, five finalists will be selected this year. Four of the finalists will receive \$2,500 each for the charity of their choice; one finalist will be honored with an \$8,000 grant for his or her chosen nonprofit.

Click <u>here</u> to access the online application. A printable version can also be found online at <u>dallasfoundation.org</u>.

Nominations:

- Deadline to be eligible for consideration is August 22 by 5 p.m.
- Application forms may be completed online (<u>click here</u>), e-mailed, mailed, faxed, or hand-delivered:

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Early Childhood Education Update

Thank you for attending The Dallas Foundation Early Education Series—KIDS COUNT event featuring Dr. Libby Doggett and Dr. Frances Deviney on March 31. We've received great feedback that the presentations were informative and helpful.

Early childhood education and welfare is a key priority for The Dallas Foundation. We are committed to offering timely information on early childhood education to the community. Below are links to action items, the speakers' presentations and additional early education resources for you to use and share:

- ► Childhood Philanthropy
- Opera Simulcast
- Early Childhood Fact
- Snowball Express
- Leading the Way



Coming Events:

- Dallas ISD Open-enrollment Week April 7-11 for prekindergarten classes. Please help get the word out. <u>Click here</u> to read more
- Univision Contigo's
 Pequeños y Valiosos Early
 Childhood Initiative. Please
 share with your network.
 Families are asked to visit
 Univision Contigo and provide
 their email address to receive
 monthly tips on how to engage
 with their children.

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Early Childhood

Education

WATCH FOR: The Dallas Foundation Early Education Series — KIDS COUNT

Join The Dallas Foundation to Discuss the Importance of Early Chiodhood and Pre-K Education.



The azaleas and bluebonnets are finally blooming, and now we're zooming toward summer. But we have news to share before all those graduation announcements start filling up your inbox.

I want to introduce our new donor services associate, Ashley Silva, who started in early April. Ashley has experience in corporate philanthropy and community relations, and a bachelor's degree in journalism and broadcasting from Oklahoma State University—Stillwater. We are so pleased to have her on staff.

Best regards,
Mary M. Jalonick
President | The Dallas Foundation

Save the Dates:

May 1, 2014

Childhood Education
Lecture Series

Site visit to Lumin Education, formerly East Dallas Community School

→ May 15, 2014

Meet Me at the Library Series, sponsored by The Dallas Foundation University Park Public Library

Mary Jalonick and Laura Ward of The Dallas Foundation "Becoming a Smart, Effective Giver"

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ANIMAL Welfare



On behalf of the Companion Animal Funders Coalition and the Big Fix for Big D partner agencies, thank you for taking time

out of your busy schedule to join us for lunch last week.

It was a pleasure to meet you and learn more about your organization and the important work you do throughout Dallas. We are gratified by your interest in helping us deliver Big Fix for Big D services to more pet owners and to caretakers of community cats in our city's underserved neighborhoods.

Below are links to the luncheon handouts for you to use and share:

- **▶** Fact Sheet
- Partner Agencies
- Frequenty Asked Questions
- How You Can Help

Over the coming weeks, I will be following up with each of our luncheon guests to further explore ways we can work together. In the meantime, do not hesitate to contact me if you are ready to share your ideas.

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